

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s) : Glen H. Handlogten and David Norgaard  
Serial No. : 10/676,153  
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For : HIERARCHICAL SCHEDULING  
Examiner : Henry Baron  
Group Art Unit : 2809

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME  
PURSUANT TO 37 CFR § 1.17 (a)

Sir:

Applicants respectfully request a two-month extension of time in which to respond to the Examiner's Office Action mailed May 2, 2007 in which a three-month period for response expired on August 2, 2007. After granting the Request for a two-month extension of time, the response period will expire on October 2, 2007. Please charge Deposit Account No. 04-1696 in the amount of \$460.00 to cover the two-month extension fee.

No other fees are believed necessary, however if additional fees are required please charge Deposit Account No. 04-1696.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Steven M. Santisi". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Steven" and last name "Santisi" being more prominent than the middle initial "M".

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